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Here At Home

By Maude Miller

Foundations and Things

Writing a column in our town is like digging the foundation of a skyscraper! Ever visit the big city... and see scurrying New Yorkers stop dead in their tracks to gaze at a sign? "Sidewalk Superintendents," they're called. Some construction companies even put peep-holes in the protective fences for their convenience.

We've got 'em, too... unofficial "Column Consultants." Not everybody reads our column... but by golly, them what does have their opinions of it... and, fortunately, let us know.

One such is Hizzoner, Albert Isen, Mayor of Torrance. The local Lions were roasting over lunch at The Palms, when Mr. Isen stopped to chat... and became our first quotable notable. It's his opinion that the column is o.k. . . fine . . . but . . . "Put some more local color in," says the good Mayor, "and less corsets and brassieres."

Confidentially, Mr. Mayor, we haven't, until now, written one word about ladies' luscious lingerie (and we've got 'em) because we're under orders... "We've run enough brassiere ads in the past," says Sam Levy himself, "to uplift the whole world. Enough's enough!"

So let's talk about football instead... and sweaters. Girl sweaters... in fact, large girl sweaters... roomy, comfortable and smart. Some of 'em are for keeping warm at the games. Others are for turning heads at after-game parties... and believe it or not, (and we know you will when you see them) these sweaters come in those almost impossible to find sizes... 42 to 46! Fashioned by Sandra Craig in 100% Du Pont Hi Bulk Orion with jersey knitting, they're full fashioned (like cashmeres!) with finest quality yarns and workmanship... Colors are mouth-watering... Victorian rose, pure-as-snow white, cerulean blue (strong and clear like the skies over Monte Carlo).

The beaded head-turners are fantastically low-priced... in gale white with delicate silver bugle beads and pearls in flower design and curving around the neck.

I've been snooping around the Store... and came up with a hot tip. Turn to the right as you enter the Store... keep going almost to the back... You'll find the almost impossible in housecoats and robes! They're of Cone Corduroy (nationally advertised for best in dresses!)... tailored collar, raglan three-quarter sleeve with deep, deep cuff, self-covered buttons with rhinestone in center, cuffed pockets and cord belt... In deep purple, sapphire blue and ruby red, they're perfect for Sunday brunch or convincing kids and the old man you can still look like a glamour girl in the cold light of early morning... And to be perfectly practical, they're perfectly washable!

Another style... for those of us who like to keep ankles warm... a classic, full-length robe... long, covered zipper closing, soft collar, three-quarter push-up sleeve, deep slit pockets, soft front-tie belt, AND elasticated back! No more looking like an old bag for us!

MAN SIDE

That girl is going out buying again! Ella and Ray are covering the showing of men's clothes at the Ambassador Hotel in L.A. this week... It's called, we want you to know, the "Palms Springs Round-Trip" of California men's styling... resort and spring wear for you fellows. They should be coming up with pretty spectacular stuff... but please, Ella, no ruffled shirts for daytime wear!

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Local Polio Rate Nearly Same As 1954

Three cases of polio were reported in Torrance during the week ending Oct. 25, and three more were reported in the Torrance health area, according to figures released by the County Health Department.

So far this year, Torrance has reported 28 cases of polio compared with 28 during all of 1954, while in the area as a whole, 56 cases were reported against 119 for 1954. The number of cases in Torrance is about the same as last year, while in the area as a whole, fewer cases were reported.

In the entire county, only 406 victims have succumbed to the disease, although 884 were reported last year.

Measles, which was rampant earlier in the year, has dropped to only a trickle, with two cases in Torrance and one in county territory during the week. Los Angeles County as a whole has had much more serious attack of measles in 1955, with 17,177 cases, against only 119 in 1954.

Also reported during the week were two cases of tuberculosis and syphilis and one case of infectious salmonella.

Hlavaty Bound Over to Long Beach Court

Richard J. Hlavaty, 20, of Redondo Beach, pleaded guilty to grand theft auto charges Monday morning in South Bay Municipal Court and was held over for sentencing Oct. 31 in Long Beach Superior Court, Dept. C.

Hlavaty and a 16-year-old Torrance girl allegedly stole gas from the new Civic Center construction area Tuesday night, then stole a car and headed for Los Angeles. Hlavaty was taken into custody when he appeared at the police department later and reported his car stolen. The automobile was left at the Civic Center site, when the two eluded police on foot.

Charges of petty theft against the Redundian were dismissed. Disposition of the girl's part in the case is being handled by Torrance Juvenile officers.

Thief Takes Tools

John Fournier, of 2268 Dominguez St., reported to police that someone entered his garage and made off with tools valued at \$26.50, Sunday night.

County Will Improve Streets

Allocation of \$46,004.42 to the City of Torrance for street and highway improvements was approved Tuesday by Supervisor Burton W. Chace.

Chace said the appropriation will pay for the grading and paving of Crenshaw Blvd. from a point 1200 feet south of Pacific Coast Hwy. to Rolling Hills Rd. Also, Palos Verdes Blvd. will be widened and paved from Via Monte D'Oro to the southerly city limits. Chace stated that Via Monte D'Oro will also be widened and paved between Calle Miramar and Via Alameda.

Funds from the appropriation will likewise be used to install traffic signals at Yukon Ave. and Redondo Beach Blvd.

Money was appropriated from the County's Aid to Cities Funds, according to Chace.

Protection Asked After Near-Tragedy

Mothers of Riviera School children were seeking action in getting a crosswalk or other protection at Calle Mayor and Via Anita yesterday, after two youngsters narrowly escaped being run down by a truck.

The school bus stop at the location is located just the other side of a curve in Calle Mayor, and bystanders say it is hard for drivers and pedestrians to see each other, while motorists often speed through the area.

Yesterday morning, Scotty Ferrone and Mike Mikalovich, Riviera students, narrowly missed being run down by a truck which sped around the corner, witnesses said. About 50 children wait for the bus at the corner, mothers said.

Post Office Area Sought

Competitive bids for a new Parcel Post Annex for the Torrance Post Office will be accepted it was announced here Monday by Clara Conner, Torrance Postmaster.

The additional facilities, which must contain at least 15,500 square feet, are needed for a period of five or 10 years, she added.

Information on the matter may be obtained from the Torrance Postmaster or from Post Office Inspector Ray A. Short, P.O. Box 751, Los Angeles 55.

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